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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the March 15, 2005 official action, please amend the application as indicated beginning on the following page.

Please amend the paragraph on page 1 after the title and before “Field of the Invention,” as follows:

This application is a division of ~~U. S. S. N. 10/093,006, filed March 7, 2002~~
U. S. Patent 6,726,772, titled Method And Apparatus For Securing Articles To Be Coated To
A Conveyor, assigned to the same assignee as this application.